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Filing Date	March 26, 2002
Group Art Unit	Unknown
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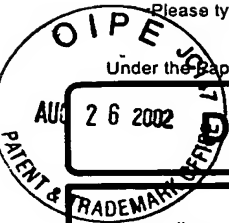
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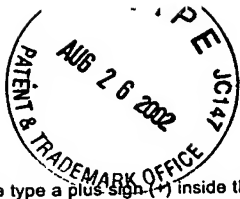
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